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| | Dong-Hyun Kim, et al. |) | | |
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| аррш | cation No: 10/536,791 |) | Art Unit: | 1655 |
| Filed: | December 21, 2005 |) | | |
| For: | GINSENG FERMENTED BY LACTIC ACIDE BACTERIUM, YOGHURT CONTAING THE SAME, AND LACTIC ACID BACTERIA USED IN THE PREPARATION THEREOF (As Amended) | ,,,,,,,,,, | Confirmatio | n No.: 4525 |
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DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132

I, Lester J. Vincent, do hereby declare and say:

- A deposit of Bifidobacterium KK-1 was deposited on March 22, 2002 with the Korean Cultural Center of Microorganisms and assigned Accession number KCCM-10364.
- A copy of the International Form assigning Accession number KCCM-10364 is attached as Appendix A.

3. All restrictions imposed by the depositor on the on the availability to the

public of Bifidobacterium KK-1, Accession number KCCM-10364 will be

irrevocably removed upon the granting of a patent.

I. Lester J. Vincent hereby declare that all statements herein of my own

knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to

be true; and further that these statements are made knowing that willful false statements

and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under § 1001 of Title 18 of

United States Code, and such willful or false statements may jeopardize the validity of the

above-identified application or any patent issuing therefrom.

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APPENDIX A

International Form assigning Accession number KCCM-10364



SUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF AUGROSIGANISMS FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

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RECEDT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL issued pursuant to finite 7.1 by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY identified at the bottom of this page.

| 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM | | | | |
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| Identification reference given by the DEPOSITOR: Bifidobacterium KK-1 | Accession number given by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITIONAL AUTHORITY: KCCM-10364 | | | |
| U. SCIENTIFIC DESCRIPTION AND/OR PROPOSED TAXONOMIC DESIGNATION | | | | |
| The migroorganism identified qualar I above was accompanied by: [] a scientific description [] a proposed toxonomic designation (Mark with a cross where applicable) [] B. RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE [] [This International Depositary Authority accepts the microorganism identified under Lakova, which was received by it on Mar, 22, 2002. (date of the original deposit) ¹ | | | | |
| N. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY | | | | |
| Name : Korean Culture Center of Microorganisms Address 361-221, Yunim B/D Hongie-1-dong, Seodaganin-gu SEOUL, 129-081 Republic of Korea | Signature(s) of person(s) having the power to represent the international Depositary Authority or of authorized efficielys. Date: Mon. 29, 2002. | | | |

Where Rule 6.4(d) applies, such date is the date on which the status of international depositary authority was acquired i where a deposit made outside the Budapest Treaty after the acquisition of the status of international depositary authority is converted into a deposit under the Budapest Treaty, such date is the date on which the microarganism was received by the international depositary, suthoutly.

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